Miller & Rhoads

Informal Opening of Spring and Summer

Millinery!

Already-from every viewpoint-it is a most successful

LADIES OF RICHMOND and vicinity, who are desirous of information about the season's new and correct millinery styles,

are coming in large numbers to see our Hats.

And if additional evidence of how really fascinating this Millinery Exhibit is were necessary, we should point to the many ladies who have become proud possessors of "the hat that was just too lovely to resist."

FRESH ARRIVALS OF HATS will augment to-day's display, greatly enhancing the beauty and extensiveness thereof, and creating a new interest for those whose enthusiasm will urge them

ORIGINAL PARIS-MADE MODEL HATS; also adopted models from the deft hands of New York's leading milliners and our

WELCOME EVERYBODY (without any obligation whatso-ever to buy) to the new and enlarged Millinery Salons on the Sec-MILLER & RHOADS.

> Continuing To-Day The Big Clearing Out Sale of

China Dinner Sets!

Told you yesterday of AT WHAT GREATLY RE-DUCED PRICES we would dispose of all our discontinued patterns of Dinner Sets; also all sets where a few pieces are

If you want a nice Dinner Set, don't miss this fine opportunity to secure it at a REMARKABLY LOW PRICE!

A New Book on China Painting

Famous Marvels and Masterpieces of the World

As seen and described by great writers. Collected and edited by Esther Singleton, and they comprise Great Paintings, Great Pictures, Wonder Paintings, Great Portraits, Wonders of Nature, Wonders of the World, Famous Women, Famous Cathedrals and other works.

Basement Book Shop.

Remarkably Low Prices on

Fine Lace Curtains

Imported Irish Point, Tambour and Novelty Point Curtains, in new designs-made up for fall, 1914-all fresh and clean, in white, ivory, Arabian and two-tone effects. The lengths are 21/2, 3 and 31/2 yards, and we have from 2 to 8

For this special sale they're divided into two lots, as fol-

Curtains, regularly \$6 to \$8, | Curtains, regularly \$8 to \$10 are priced at,

\$4.98 | are priced at, \$5.98

Third Floor.

WILL ASK FOR VETO | FAIRFAX HARRISON OF WILLIAMS BILL FAVORS MOVEMENT

Day on New Rolling Stock Tax Measure.

bell who are seeking to have him veto the Williams bill. The several Virginia cities which stand to lose thousands of dollars annually in revenue by the apportionment of the tax proposed by the Williams bill. have perfectly the Southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the Southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the Southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the Southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill, have perfectly the southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill for the responding the world of the southern Railway, for their movements of the law proposed by the Williams bill for the responding to the southern Railway, for their movements of the southern Railway, for their movement, the Southern Railway, for their movements which apportion ment of low law portion railway for their movements. The Williams bill for the responding the proposed of the column of the line of the relations of a community. I believe that it is the column of the law proposed the duty of Virginia to enlarge the original proposed the column of the law proposed the column of the law proposed the will be duty of Virginia to enlarge the original proposed to the virginia, left the room of the claims of the southern Railway for their movements and the law proposed the college in the copy of the woman's co-ordinate college in the copy of the woman's co-ordinate college bulletin, has followed me around on the line of the responding the proposed that the form the copy of the woman's co-ordinate college in the copy of the woman's co-ordinate college in the copy of the woman's co-ordinate college in the copy of the woman's ties and counties through which a rail-way runs on the basis of the property owned by the railway in each county

SAVINGS BANK RICHMOND. Speculation is an expensive n by the rich. The safety our future lines with ount in the Saving sBank. UNITED STATES DEPOSITORY FOR POSTAL SAVINGS FUNDS

Governor Grants Hearing To- President of Southern Indorses Plan for Co-Ordinate Wo-

man's College.

Mr. Harrison is a citizen of Virginia, holding his residence in Loudoun County, where he owns a large country place. He has displayed a deep interest in the development of Virginia and Richmond.

The woman's co-ordinate college bill passed the Senate by a two to one vote. It is now pending in the House, and is the centre of a warm fight.

Ball for Highland Springs. Uniforms and equipment have been received by Company II, Fourth Infantry High-and Springs, and a military ball will be acid on Saturday night in the Town Hall. The company is drilling regularly in order to be prepared for its first official impection by Captain Arthur M. Shipp, U. S. A., who is now making a tour of the Virginia Volun-ters.

County Marriage License Issued marriage license was Issued yesterday Deputy Clerk Thomas C. Fletcher, of Henrico Circuit Court, to Page Hunter Il and Lizzie Younger Pitts, both of Hen-

PROBE IS DROPPED

Investigation of Sensational Incident.

DELEGATE MUCH SURPRISED

Says He Will Take Floor To-Day and Plead That Colleagues

"Your subcommittee begs leave to located.

There is a possibility that the Chammatter of the said resolution is of such a character that it is not properly a matter of legislative investigation.

matter of legislative investigation.

"In view of the premises, we have not heard any testimony, and do hereby respectfully recommend that the matter be dismissed so far as the House of Delegates is concerned."

As authority for its refusal to report favorably the Willis resolution censuring Dr. Christian for his utterances to Delegate Myers the committee cites Hines Precedences.

Myers Will Take Floor Te-Day.

When the report of the committee

When the report of the committee is rendered this morning Delegate My-ers will take the floor on a question of personal privilege and plead with the House to disregard the report and stand by him in his defense. The contents of the committee report was communicated to Delegate Myers yesterday afternoon and caused him great sur-

'In any event," said Mr. Myers, "the report will serve notice on the members of the House as to what support they may expect when they are approached with a bribe. I shall appeal once more investigation which I know will justify me."

To intimate friends Mr. Myers has

made the assertion that he will resign from the House if no effort is made

Dr. Christian

To the general public the issue has resolved itself into a question of veracity between the Delegate and Dr. Christian. Mr. Myers has made the declaration on the floor of the House that he was approached by Dr. Christian in the lobby of the Capitol with a request that he vote for the Saunders-Land antivice bill; that when he announced his opposition to the measure Dr. Chirstian threatened him with political and financial retribution, and adlitical and financial retribution, and addressed remarks to him which he con-sidered personally insulting. Dr. Chris-tian, through the press, has made denial of the charges.

There were several witnesses who overheard the conversation, and were prepared to testify before the House investigating committee, but the committee refused to enter upon a hearing of testingen.

of testimony.

On the day following the encounter in the lobby, Delegate Wills, of Roanoke, introduced the following resolution in the House, which was referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections and by it placed in the house. to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, and by it placed in the hands of a subcommittee composed of Dele-gates Pennington, Oliver and Rolston: "Whereas, it has come to the at-Whereas, it has come to the attention of this body that some person has, within the lobby of the hall of the House of Delegates, attempted to influence the vote of a member of this body by statements as to the effect, on the private business and political future of such member, should be vote contrary to the desires of such persons the contrary to the contrary to the contrary to the desires of the contrary to the contr contrary to the desires of such person;

"Whereas, it is the sense of this body whereas, it is the sense of this souly that every member should vote as his own best judgment dictates to him, that the interests of the State require, rather than in accord with the private business interests or political benefit business interests or political benefit of such member; therefore be it "Resolved, That this body condemns such methods of attempting to influence the actions of members of the General Assembly, and further that, hereafter, if the Speaker of this House is satisfied that any person is using such methods that the Speaker shall direct the Sergeant-at-arms to prohibit such person from appearing in the hall or lobby of this House.

After two ineffectual attempts to ob-

After two ineffectual attempts to ob-Governor Stuart will give a hearing this afternoon at 4 o'clock to the opponents of the new rolling stock tax bill who are seeking to have him veto bill who are seeking to have him veto port of President Fairfax Harrison, of

it was decided that the issue between Delegate Myers and Dr. Christian was not "a subject for legislative investigation."

This report was submitted by the subcommittee to the full House Committee on Privileges and Elections yesterday afternoon. At that time Delegate Myers and Delegate Willis pro-tested strongly against the abandorment of the investigation, and begged the committee, in justice to Mr. Myors, to go fully into the case. Represen tatives of Dr. Christian made no effort to press the investigation.

Richard Johnson and Cruelty. Richard Johnson, colored, was arrested sterday on the charge of cruelly working

Alleged Guntoter.
Charles Neihoof was arrested yesterday by Potice Sergeant Zimmer and Patrolman Cline on the charge of carrying a concealed weapon, a revolver.

FORMAL OPENING FIXED FOR APRIL FROM MOVING AUTO

Iouse Committee Decides Against Manufacturers' Exhibit to Open Leaves Detective Krengel in Ton-Its Doors to Public With Fitting Exercises.

The week of April 13 has been set by the board as the date for the formal opening of the Manufacturers' Exhibit, which is being installed as a permanent of the permanent of the Manufacturers' Exhibit, which is being installed as a permanent of the permanent of the Manufacturers' Exhibit, which is being installed as a permanent of the permanent ient demonstration of Richmond-made goods on three floors of the Chamber of Commerce and Manufacturers Build-ing, at Sixth and Main Streets. The setting up of the 100 exhibits is a tedi-Stand by Him.

Stand by Him.

The House Committee on Privileges and Elections voted yesterday to abandon the investigation of the dyers-Christian episode despite an ur-

on the details of the celebration which Delegate Wills and Delegate Myers.
Without prolonged discussion, the full There will be music and floral decorwithout prolonged discussion, the full committee adopted the report of the subcommittee declaring the incident not a matter for legislative investigation. This report, with the full approval of the committee, will be offered in the House this morning by Chairman Martin Williams.

"Your subcommittee begs leave to leave to leave the first subcommittee adopted the report of the maintenance of the main and for al decorption of the number of the subcommittee of the subcommittee and for all decorptions, and representatives of the number of satisfactors will be music and floral decorption of the subcommittee and for all decorptions, and representatives of the number of satisfactors will be music and floral decorption of the subcommittee and for all decorptions, and representatives of the number of satisfactors will be on hand to distribute advertising novelties and source it is planned to give daily lectures on the purpose of the Manufactures. Exhibit during the opening week in the auditorium of the Chamber of Commerce, on the tenth floor of the building in which the exhibit is

consideration of the resolution, which has not marked its occupation of its new quar-has been referred to us, we have ters by any celebration, will join with reached the conclusion that the subject the Manufacturers' Exhibit in fitting

to see the stocks of all the shops be-fore buying. By uniting and reserving our openings until a fixed date, we find that the public buying is stimulated and regulated in a way that is conducive to efficient management. The public is able to see the entire stock at one time, and is in the best position possible to do intelligent buy-

There is no little rivalry between the window artists of the women's shops and those of the men's sheps, the shoe stores, the jewelry houses and millinery concerns for first place in the quality of window display. The United Spring Opening is halled by all as a splendid occasion for establishing the supremacy of this art.

LABORERS QUARANTINED

Railroad Camp Is Guarded by Armed Officers to Prevent Spread of Smallpox.

Eleven laborers, engaged in construction work on the Richmond and Rappahannock River Rallroad, were placed under quaranthe in a camp near Stony Creek Distillery yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Webb W. Sydnor, of Hoarice County, at the request of Dr. G. T. Collins, county health officer. Two special officers, heavily armed, will see that the quaranthe is not broken. The step was deemed necessary when it was found that a negro who had been sick for several days, and was closely associated with the others, had a virulent case of smallpox.

All of the workers were compelled to submit to vaccination, although threats of arrests were made before one would consent. Railroad Camp Is Guarded by Armed Officers

No. 71-Virginia State Fair Ass No. 71—Virginia State Fair Association (Inc.) vs. Virginia Amusement Concession Corporation. Argued by Mr. Page. of the firm of Page & Leary, and D. H. Leake for the appellest, and submitted.

No. 72—City of Norfolk vs. Norfolk County Water Company. Continued.

No. 73—Chesspeake and Ohio Rallway Company vs. Parker's administrator. Passed.

No. 74-Steinback vs. Steinback. Passed. No. 75-Dismissed. No. 74-Steinback vs. Steinback. Passed.
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No. 76-Higgins vs. Southern Railway Company. Argued by Alex. Browning for applied and submitted.
Next cases to be called: No. 77-Hammond vs. Ridley's executor et als; No. 30, Collier et als. vs. Soward & Roper et als; No. 52, Lacks et als. vs. Latham et als; No. 52, Saunders vs. Terry; No. 83, Cook's administrator vs. City of Danville.

Charge Palse Pretense. J. L. Dugan was arrested yesterday by Detective-Sergeants Atkinson and Krengel on the charge of obtaining 35 by false pretense from Davis Bottom, Superintendent or State Public Printing. Dugan is alleged to have received \$5 from Bottom to insert an advertisement in a program, and he falled to turn in the money, according to the police.

endeavor.

Business Judgment

The wisest business man cannot render sound judgment on the matters which daily occur in the conduct of

Probably the easiest way to get dependable infor-

his business unless he is thoroughly informed on the un-

derlying factors which affect all lines of commercial

mation in boiled down form on basic conditions is to

read the Monthly Report covering all of the underlying

factors, which is issued by this bank on the first day of

each month. Shall we place your name on our mailing

The American National Bank

OF RICHMOND, VIRGINIA.

Capital and Surplus...... \$1,600,000.00

Resources \$8,800,000.00

PRISONER JUMPS

neau When He Tries to Make Escape.

Officer Then Gives Chase With Drawn Revolver and Recaptures His Man.

Left alone in the tonneau of a moving automobile when the driver, who had been placed under arrest, sought to escape by jumping out and running up the street, was the experience of Detective-Sergeant Krengel yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The detec-

be at the second position of City Electrician Combined With Superintendent of Electric Plant. The will be music and floral decreations, and representatives of the number of commerce, or the purpose of the Mannacher of Lommerce, on the tenth floor of located lines in the saidtorian of the Chamber of Commerce, on the tenth floor of located lines in which the exhibit is attained by the lattice of Commerce, which has not located lines in which the exhibit is located lines in which the chibit is located lines in which the chibit is located lines in which has not located lines in which the chibit is located lines in which has not located lines in which the chibit is located lines in the located lines in which the chibit is located lines in which the chibit is located lines in the located lines in which the chibit is located lines in the lines in the located lines in the located lines in th

bile.

Negro Was Scared.

Hamilton afterward said that he was so scared after being told that he was under arrest that he did not know what he was doing.

"That boy is some runner," panted Krengel, as he swore out a warrant before Magistrate J. A. Purdle charging Hamilton with recklessness. Hamilton, who was unable to give bail, will be arraigned in Police Court this morning.

witness la Richmond to bear truth to the tale. Clouds intervened, and the eclipse was itself eclipsed, so that the great shadow which overcast the universe which this earth occupies was seen here of no beholder. It is safe to assume, however, that the sun went upon his accustomed course, and that the earth intervened between the sun and the dead sphere, thus putting the moon for the while almost totally upon the blink. If it had been otherwise, it is more than probable that neither this tale nor any other would have been written, for the beavens would have wrapped up like a flaming scroil, great shadow which overcast the unlbeen written, for the heavens would have wrapped up like a flaming scroil, General Assembly chairman of his and this little star, which man inhabits and infests, would have entered

J. S. Potts, of Richmond and Henrico, into cataclysmic glory.
So the eclipse must have happened.

The scientists will report on it later.

LOWER COURT SUSTAINED

Percy Thornton Must Pay \$100 Fine for Speeding.

Percy Thornton who appended from Police Court, where he was fined by Justice Crutchfield \$190 for automobile speeding, was convicted and fined the same amount yesterday in the Hustings Court.

Kitty Labelle, indicted for the larceny of 160, was bailed to the next term of court on the understanding that she would return to her home and family in Baitimore. If she keeps this agreement the case will never be prosecuted against her; otherwise she must place her fate in the hands of a jury.

Wille Golus, colored, charged with abduction, was acquitted.

Asks \$5,000 for Finess.

Suits and Overcoats Which Sold at \$20.00, \$22,50 and \$25.00 Now \$12.85

Lots of medium weight suits and light weight overcoats. In justice to yourself you ought to take advantage of this sale.

Gans-Rady Company

TWO CITY OFFICES ARE CONSOLIDATED

Position of City Electrician Combined With Superintendent

work may be secured. The Board desires to secure intelligent and uniform work on all street openings, especially to secure careful, complete and satisfactory repairs and supervision of re-

ment of Rural Conditions

J. S. Potts, of Richmond and Henrico, presided, and was made permanent chairman of the following executive committee which was named: David B. Powers, of Caroline; C. J. Meetze, of Prince William; W. B. Walton, of Hancver; S. H. Love, of Lunenburg; C. W. Grant, of Russell; J. W. Caw-thern.

State Public Printing. Dugan is alleged to have received \$5 from Bottom to insert an advertisement in a program, and he falled to turn in the money, according to the police.

Leaves With Prisoner.

Frank B. King, who was arrested here several days ago at the request of the Philadelphia police, was taken away last night by a member of that department, He increase a charge of grand larceny.

Asks \$5,000 for Fingers.

The platform declares the new organization planned for the purpose of stimulating and encouraging every phase of rural life in Virginia. As country life depends largely upon the condition of the roads, the organization planned for the purpose of stimulating and encouraging every phase of rural life in Virginia. As country life depends largely upon the condition of the roads, the organization will make its first fight for better highways. It will advocate an improvement in social and civic relationships in the rural sections, the use of The platform declares the new organization planned for the purpose of stimulating and encouraging every phase of rural life in Virginia. As country life depends largely upon the condition of the roads, the organization will make its first fight for better highways. It will advocate an improvement in social and civic relationships in the rural sections, the use of public schools as civic centres, and the united efforts of the country residents for good roads.

Real Estate Deal.

STATE-WIDE CAMPAIGN

Woman's Prohibition Lengue of America Will Make Fight Against Liquor.
Plans for a campaign for State-wide prohibition were made yesterday afternoon at the regular quarterly meeting of the State executive committee of the Woman's Prohibition League of America. The campaign will include a six-week tour of the State by Miss Edith Wells, lecturer for the Scientific Temperance Burcau of Boston.
The loague decided to present two prizes to debators in the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association contest, which will be held here on April 20. Fifteen contestants already have entered the contest, representing practically all of the colleges in the State.
Among the reports unade was one from the field secretary, showing that twelve new leagues and one county league organized during the past three months. Dr. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the National Council of Women and national president of the Florence Crittenden Mission, was elected a vice-president of the organization, and April 15 was set aside as a day of prayer and fasting for the State organization. Resolutions defending Dr. Asbury Christian were adopted by the committee.

Senator Saunders Addresses Students.
Senator John R. Saunders, of Middlesex County, delivered a short address to the students of the John Marshall High School yesterday morning at the assembly exercises. He spoke about the advantages and need of education, and said that he was in favor of more school facilities for Virginia.

A Dollar Saved"—

ficance to the wage-earner than "a dollar saved is a dollar earned."

What you lay aside is the guage your progress, regardless of what you carn!

Start in this big bank. We invite small accounts and allow 3 per cent compound interest.

1101 East Main.

Assembly Passed Act Forbidding Sale of Liquor in or Near Towns.

to secure careful, complete and satisfactory repairs and supervision of repairs, until the streets are fully restored to a permanent condition of improvement.

The City Engineer was instructed to report the name of a man competent to construct and reconstruct roadways, with the laying of various kinds of paving, with a view to the appointment of that man to a position having supervision of all trenches opened by the city.

INNITE TO ADVANCE

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Comes Off as Per Schedule, But Richmond Fails to See It.

The eclipse of the moon, scheduled to come off last night, is supposed to have occurred with due regularity and solemnity, though there was no eyement of Rural Conditions

GOOD ROADS CAUSE

ed with stragglers, camp followers, wounded men recuperating, and with all the rabble that talked war bravely in saloons, but failed to enlist. Curiously enough the law—the first prohibition act of record in Virginia—prohibited the sale of liquor within five miles of any town, but left its free sale at country stores or at any point away from the cities. By a series of rement of Rural Conditions
in Virginia.

The movement for good roads and the right of local self-government in towns and cities where police protec-

THREE TAKE BANKRUPTCY

Small Failures Shown by Schedules Filed in U. S. District Court by Merchants.

Three involuntary patitions in bankruptcy were filed yesterday in the United State-District Court. The amounts involved in each case are small.

Samuel Haile, of 512 West Clay Street, a breakman filed a petition, showing \$1,11150 in Habilities and \$230 in assets.

Diodato Landi. a merchant, was the most seriously involved. His Habilities amount to \$5,311.85, of which \$4,228.85 is unsecured, and his ussets only total \$1,624.76, of which he claims \$1,051.70 as exempt.

Mike Tony, known sometimes as Mike Thomas, showed Habilities of \$1,074.76, and assets of \$500. He is also a merchant.

AUTO SPEEDER FINED

Charles W. Shields Notes Appeal When Convicted of Fast Driving.

Charles W. Shields, arrested on Tuesday night by Motorcycle Foliceman Samuels, was fined \$100 and costs yesterday morning in Police Court for driving an automobilis faster than allowed by law through Grove Avenue. He noted an appeal to the Hustings Court. Avenue. He noted an appeal to the Hustings Court.

The hearing of Thomas Tyson and Laura Brewer, accused of stealing a \$500 diamond ring from Chasic Traileri, was continued until to-morrow.

Milton Lawrence, colored, was fined \$50 and costs for shorting at Josephine Scott, also colored, and was pinced under \$100 bend to keep the peace for six months.

Through the roal estate Deal.

Through the roal estate firm of E. F. Schmidt & Co., J. Leroy Asher sold his fine property, 612 North Lomburdy Street, for 19.500. Mr. Asher also purchased through the same agency two blocks of houses, thirty-two tenoments in all, in Fulton, the same being a portion of the Wright estate. Mr. Asher is an inventor and believes in Richmond dirt. He has made this Fulton purchase purely as a permanent investment.

Accused of Trespassing,
John Jackson, colored, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Goode on the charge of
treepassing on the property of R. G. Burnett with intent to commit lurceny.

Service---

Mr. Plumber, when you deal with is you are getting SERVICE.

Our chief aim is to satisfy YOU. Try us on that next order.

McGraw-Yarbrough Co. Wholesale Plumbers' Supplies.

Monroe 61-62.